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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C		
International Application No. PCT/JP2003/010728	International Filing Date August 26, 2003	Priority Date Claimed September 30, 2002

Title of Invention

EXTERNAL PREPARATION FOR INHIBITING KELOID FORMATION

Applicant(s) For DO/EO/US

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- 1. [X] This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. §371.
- 2. [] This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. §371.
- 3. [X] This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. §371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. §371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
- 4. [] A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
- 5. [X] A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(2))
 - a. [] is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. [X] has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. [] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)
- 6. [X] A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(2)). ATTACHMENT A
- 7. [] Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(3)).
 - a. [] are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. [] have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. [] have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. [] have not been made and will not be made.
- 8. [] A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19.
- 9. [X] An executed oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(4)). ATTACHMENT B
- 10. [] A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. §371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 14. below concern other document(s) or information included:

- 11. [X] An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. ATTACHMENT C
- 12. [X] An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with the control of the cont TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975 13. [] A FIRST preliminary amendment.
- - [] A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
- 14. [X] Other items or information:
 - a. Cover Page of Published International Application WO 2004/030676 ATTACHMENT E
 - b. International Search Report ATTACHMENT F

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Independent Claims	4 - 3 =	1	X \$200.00	\$200.00	
Multiple dependent claim(s) (if ap	oplicable)		+ \$360.00	\$	
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$1,100.00	
[] Small Entity Status is hereby asserted. Above fees are reduced by 1/2.				\$	-
SUBTOTAL =				\$1,100.00	
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than [] 20 [] 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).				\$	
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